

Bavarian President Denies Existence Of Plot For Restoration Of Monarchy

BERLIN, Nov. 27.—By The Associated Press.—Reports that organizations have been formed in Bavaria for the purpose of restoring the monarchy and establishing a Bavarian government have been denied by President von Kahr of Bavaria today, who is here discussing Bavarian affairs with the central government. He was requested by The Associated Press to issue a statement concerning the rumors in that section of the country. Association has been made that rumors relative to separatist and revolutionary movements in Bavaria have been circulating by opponents of the present Bavarian provisional government, which is composed of and opposed by communists and independent socialists in Germany.

Rumors Misleading

"Much that is misleading has been said," said President von Kahr, "about the Einwohnerwehr and the Orgesch in Bavaria. These rumors have placed Bavaria and Bavarians in a false light, in Germany and abroad."

Reports have stated the "Orgesch," was a nucleus about which centered a movement to restore the Wittelsbach regime in Bavaria and carry out a program of far-reaching significance in Germany. The Einwohnerwehr is an organization composed of citizens, and sometimes known as the "Bavarian Citizens' Guard."

Organization of Citizens

"In the first place, let me say the 'Orgesch' does not exist in Bavaria," he said. "The Einwohnerwehr is an organization of citizens of all political faiths to preserve order and prevent the recurrence of bolshevik riots. It is under oath to check revolutionary movements, whether they start from the extreme radicals or the extreme conservatives."

"How many members has the Einwohnerwehr?" he was asked.

"Possibly 200,000," he answered.

"Are there any parts of Bavaria where the Einwohnerwehr does not exist?"

Ready for Emergencies

"No," he replied. "Citizens have organized generally. Each village or farming community elects its own leader, who frequently has no military training. Community leaders elect county leaders, who elect provincial leaders."

These have elected Herr Eschich as head of the organization throughout Bavaria. It is a sort of volunteer fire department which stands ready to meet emergencies which arise and threaten the public peace."

No General Staff

When asked about rumors that the Einwohnerwehr has a general staff, and that such officers as General Ludendorff, formerly chief in command of German armies in France, are assisting in its direction, President von Kahr said such reports were "absolutely foolish."

The Einwohnerwehr," he continued, "is not a military organization in the usual sense of the term, but merely a home guard of civilians and military men alike, many of whom are over 50 years of age and are physically unfit for military service."

Ludendorff a Member

He declared reports that General Ludendorff was a member of the general staff probably arose from the fact that he joined the Einwohnerwehr at Ludwigschloess, a suburb of Munich, where he lives, and he carries a rifle on guard duty just the same as other citizens determined to keep the peace."

Asked if he believed the entrance would insist that the Einwohnerwehr be disbanded on January 1, when Germany's military strength, under the Versailles treaty, must be reduced to 100,000 men, President von Kahr replied:

"Not if the entrance understands the nature of the organization. With the reduction of the regular army, the need for the Einwohnerwehr will be all the greater. Bavaria and all Germany must have order and peace if they are to meet the financial demands of the future. The bolsheviks are trying to extend disorder throughout the civilized world, hoping to create a world revolution."

SWEDEN FILES U. S. TREATIES WITH LEAGUE

First American Treaties Put on Record With World League Presented by Swedish Representative

ASSEMBLY IS EXPECTED TO FINISH WORK NEXT WEEK

Session to be Concluded Ten Days Earlier than Had Been Thought Possible

GENEVA.—By The Associated Press.—The first American treaties to be filed with the league of nations were put on record Saturday when Sweden presented the text of two agreements with the United States.

The first, signed October 18, last, is a proclamation by President Wilson extending the copyright law of 1909 as applied between Sweden and the United States.

The second cancels articles 11 and 12 of the consular convention between Sweden and the United States, making them terminate March 18, 1921. The treaty was signed June 18, last.

Under the covenant of the league of nations the various countries must file all treaties and agreements made since January 10 of the present year, even those in which the other contracting party is not a member of the league.

The arrival of the first American treaties, was an occasion of considerable interest among the league members and officials.

A total of fifty-one treaties and agreements have so far been filed with the league by the various members. Of these, fifteen were filed by Great Britain, eleven by France, four by Sweden, six by Switzerland and fifteen by other nations which filed one convention each. Germany, although not a member, has voluntarily filed nine treaties, two of which were with Soviet Russia.

May Shorten Session

Optimists at the meeting of the assembly of the league of nations are counting upon finishing the work of the session next week, or ten days earlier than was calculated by league officials. This hope is based on the fact that committees number one and two have virtually finished their work. The international court is out of the way and the armaments question has been disposed of by a practical adjournment. The principle relative to the admission of new members has also been decided upon.

Some apprehension is felt, however, that the discussions in full assembly, especially those on the questions regarding the relation of the league council and assembly will be prolonged.

Oppose Austria

Czechoslovak delegates are furnishing the only opposition to the admission of Austria to the league. Switzerland is strongly advocating admission, with the proviso that if reaction occurs in Austria, with a restoration of the monarchy, she will insist upon the right of the province of Vorarlberg to decide whether to remain a part of Austria or not. Vorarlberg recently requested that it be attached to Switzerland, but this request was rejected by the latter country.

Committee number four, which has been examining the accounts of the league, finally has approved the comparatively high salaries paid the personnel of the secretariat, finding the high cost of living in Geneva justified them. In part, while the expenses of each worker in reaching his native country should also be taken into account.

The organization committee has decided to approve the suggestion that the four elective members of the council shall be chosen so that only one term will expire each year. It has also decided to set up a committee to study all proposed amendments to the covenant of the league.

U. S. ARMY AND NAVY NOTABLES TURN OUT FOR GRID CLASSIC

Annual Football Contest Attracts Crowd of 45,000 to Polo Grounds

NEWS OF GAME WIRELESS TO FAR CORNERS OF EARTH

Boys on Battleships and Army of Occupation Kept Posted

POLO GROUNDS.—Uncle Sam's own gridiron classic—the annual battle between the military and naval academies—attracted 45,000 people to the Polo grounds today representing civic and service officialdom, present and potential admirals and generals, wives, sweethearts and others.

Meanwhile, lines of communication to far corners of the earth informed thousands of others what was going on at the front. Wireless broadcasting of the details of the game, let the Atlantic and Pacific fleets know about it. Even the army of occupation in Germany was in touch with the thrills of the combat of the friendly enemies.

Secretaries Baker and Daniels and General Pershing were among the long list of notables present. One of Secretary Baker's guests was General Georges Robert Nivelle of France. Half a dozen governors, congressmen, senators, and the personalification of almost the whole army and navy, registered in the stands.

Mascots are There

Spectators came early to watch the pre-game rival dress parades of cadet and midship rosters, the antics of the army mule and the navy goat as they were led up and down the side lines for good luck to the eleven, the display of uniforms that are beginning to be a novelty since war-time, passing show of those who will "send him away with a smile" should such an occasion arise in 1917.

Cadets and midshipmen reversed the usual procedure in coming to the front. The sailors came by land, the soldiers by water—down the Hudson—each corps over 1,000 strong. Full-dress was the rule for them as for the alumni in the stands.

Cadets in grey middie in blue, marched across the gridiron with that noted alignment which pleases the military expert and charms the spectator in muff.

After the parade each corps deployed to its section of the stands for rooting that would make college boys envious.

Rain Threatens

When the teams came on the field shortly after 2 o'clock the field and grandstands were completely filled. The day, overcast sky and an atmosphere with a threat of rain were the weather conditions. A damp, chilling breeze from the south blew across the gridiron, which was but comparatively dry and fast.

At 2:09 p. m. Captain Walby of the Army and Captain Ewen of the Navy met with the officials and after shaking hands Captain Ewing of the Navy, having correctly called the toss of the coin, elected to defend the west goal, thus giving the Army the kick-off.

AIR-MAIL SERVICE WILL START MONDAY WITH PLANE EACH WAY EVERY WEEK DAY

Wrangel Plans New Drive On Reds Is Rumor

CONSTANTINOPLE.—A wireless message received by Foreign Secretary Tchitcherin and addressed to General Averesco, the Rumanian premier, at Bucharest, saying General Wrangel, the anti-bolshevik leader, intended "using Rumania as the base of a new attack on Russia," and that the soviet government counted upon the absolute refusal of Rumania to allow such violation of its territory, has been intercepted here.

It is not believed here that General Wrangel intends to initiate operations anywhere in the immediate future.

LA CROSSE IS STATION FOR ALL OF SHIPS

For Present no Mail Will be Taken on or Delivered in this City Says Superintendent Egge

EQUIPMENT STILL TO BE PROVIDED ON LOCAL FIELD

Everything Required Here to be Installed as Rapidly as Possible

BARGE REPORTED AGROUND IN STORM OFF WASHINGTON COAST WITH 16 ON BOARD

BURLINGTON HOTEL BARTENDER IS UP ON LIQUOR CHARGE

Alleged to Have Been Caught Selling Moonshine Whiskey on Friday Afternoon

ANOTHER CASE IS PENDING AGAINST THE SAME PLACE

One of the Saloons Raided by Agents During Fair Week

Corbett Hauer, a bartender in the Burlington hotel in the 100 block in South Second street, fell into the hands of federal prohibition agents Friday night when, it is alleged, he sold moonshine whiskey over the bar.

Agents who raided the place discovered a small amount of moonshine and behind the bar they claimed, and several empty bottles which, he declared, evidently had contained whiskey.

Hauer was arraigned before Commissioner Alfred Harrison, waived examination and was held to the grand jury under bond for \$500 which was furnished.

The Burlington hotel bar was one of the places raided by federal agents during fair week, and as a result of that action another case is pending against the place.

WIFE AND BABY OF CAPTAIN ARE AMONG BARGE'S PASSENGERS

Weather Moderating But Fears are Expressed for Safety of Those on Board

SEATTLE, Wash.—No trace of the barge, W. J. Pirie, reported ashore near James Island, off the Washington coast, had been found early Saturday, according to a wireless message from the coast guard cutter Snobomish, which went to the aid of the stricken vessel. Sixteen persons, including the wife of Captain A. B. Jensen and their baby, were reported on the Pirie, which was lost from the steamer Santa Rita, in a heavy gale south of Cape Mudge late Friday.

Possibility that the Pirie had been blown out to sea instead of having gone ashore, was indicated after a search of the coast, the Snobomish's message said. The Santa Rita wireless nothing had been seen of the barge from shortly after she was cast adrift, and it was believed possible she might weather the storm and beat out into the ocean.

Fragmentary reports relayed over damaged wires from distant wireless stations brought word of a dramatic struggle for life by the sixteen persons aboard the Pirie. No direct communication has been had with the barge since the steamer Santa Rita, which was towing her to South America, cut her loose, shortly after noon Friday in what shipping men described as the worst storm in years. Meager details of the struggle, of her drifting closer to the rocks, and finally of her probable grounding at James Island, were received by indirect routes.

Shipping men held out little hope for saving any of those aboard the Pirie if she actually was on the rocks, although the weather was reported moderating. The steamer Atlas wireless early Friday night that she was proceeding to the aid of the Pirie and the coast guard cutter Snobomish left Port Angeles, Wash., late Friday to give aid.

Meanwhile communication routes to many coast towns were blocked or broken, some combs were under water, others were blocked by fallen trees, which carried down telegraph and telephone lines, and repetitions of Friday's extraordinary high tides were expected at some points. These tides flooded the business sections of Marshfield, Ore., and Aberdeen, Wash., and caused lumber mills there to close down.

Two men lost their lives by electrocution as a result of the storm.

SENATOR HARDING VISITS FORTS OF THE CANAL ZONE

Party Preparing for Return Trip: Will Stop off at Porto Rico

CRISTOBAL, C. Z.—By The Associated Press.—President-elect Warren G. Harding prepared respectfully Saturday to bid good-bye to the canal zone. His visit here ends Sunday, when he sails on board the steamer Desires for the United States.

Senator Harding returned here Friday night from the Pacific terminus of the canal, where he exchanged congratulations with Panamanian officials. Saturday he visited the fortifications and the submarine base at the eastern end of the waterway, played golf and took a swim.

The fascions will sail at noon Sunday and is due to reach Kingston, Jamaica, Tuesday enroute to Norfolk. Senator and Mrs. Harding and their party will go ashore at Kingston.

COMPARATIVELY FEW DEER SHIPPED OUT OF WISCONSIN WOODS

BAU CLAIRE, Wis.—Only 75 deer have been shipped out of the Wisconsin woods in this section, this year, up to Thanksgiving day against 1,930 last year, according to announcement by the American Express company. The reason is said to be the one buck law, now in full force, which makes it unlawful to shoot and take away a doe. Many a doe has been shot this year, it is said, and has been left where it fell.

| TODAY'S TEMPERATURES | | | |
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| 8 a. m. | 34 | 10 a. m. | 44 |
| 12 m. | 44 | 2 p. m. | 54 |
| 8 p. m. | 34 | 10 p. m. | 24 |
| NATION-WIDE RECORD | | | |
| Low Yesterday | 18 | High Yesterday | 44 |
| Low Last Week | 14 | High Last Week | 40 |
| Low Last Month | 10 | High Last Month | 36 |
| Low Last Year | 10 | High Last Year | 36 |
| Low All Time | 10 | High All Time | 36 |

ERECT BARRIERS TO KEEP PUBLIC OUT OF BRITISH PARLIAMENT

Decision to Close Houses Believed to Have Bearing on Irish Activities

LONDON.—By The Associated Press.—The capture during raids in Ireland of Sinn Fein documents alleged to give details of a conspiracy for damaging government buildings in England was said in police circles to be the cause of the erection of the formidable barricades which have been put at the entrances to Downing street and King Charles street.

LONDON.—After the erection of barriers eight feet high to exclude the public from Downing street, and the adjacent Charles street, the houses of parliament were closed to the public Saturday.

This official action followed the detention of a strange man in the outer lobby of the house of commons Friday. Although no official statement has been issued, the Evening Standard says it has reason to believe the decision to close the houses to the public has an important bearing on sinister Sinn Fein activities in this country.

COLBY TRIP DELAYED

WASHINGTON.—Secretary Colby, who had planned to leave Sunday for South America, where he will pay official visits to the governments of Brazil and Uruguay, and an unofficial call upon that of Argentina, will not be able to start before Tuesday or Wednesday, it was said Saturday at the state department. Pressure of business in the department was given as the cause for the delay.

COAL CRISIS OVER

WASHINGTON.—The coal crisis has passed in the judgment of the interstate commerce commission, which issued an order Saturday vacating all remaining priority orders affecting preference for open top cars in the movement of coal. The order is effective at midnight Monday.

HARMONY WOMAN, 100, WALKS SEVEN BLOCKS TO VOTE

HARMONY, Minn.—Numerous towns have boasted of old women who cast their vote last election day. This village has one of its most respected residents, Mrs. Mary Newell, a centenarian who walked seven blocks to the polls to cast her ballot and was none the worse for the exercise.

KAISER TO MAINTAIN CHILDREN IN MANNER BEFITTING STATION

LONDON.—During visits of his children at Doorn castle the past week, former emperor William of Germany, has discussed with them their financial resources, says a Doorn dispatch.

It is said the former emperor intends to present to each of his children \$5,000 pounds sterling in Dutch money, so they may continue to live "in a manner befitting the Hohenzollerns."

BADGER PIONEER DEAD

MADISON, Wis.—Gerd Devoer, 93, for more than 65 years a resident of Dane county, died at his home in Dane Friday. He is survived by two sons and a daughter, E. W. Devoer, one of the founders of the Blackstone institute of Chicago and a teacher in the institute, and H. F. Devoer, head of the Alexander Hamilton institute of Columbia University of New York, and Mrs. E. S. Sants, wife of Rev. Sands of Minneapolis.

WOMEN MEETING TO MAKE PLANS FOR CAMPAIGN

Salvation Army Workers Preparing for Solicitation of Funds Here

Final arrangements for the Salvation Army campaign to raise money in La Crosse county for the fund to provide a maternity home in this state, will be discussed at a conference with women who will head the ward committees late Saturday afternoon.

Captain R. H. Schultz who is chairman of the general committee and Charles Pirovitz of Milwaukee will speak at the meeting this afternoon.

QUAKE IN SPAIN

MADRID.—Serious earthquake shocks have caused extensive damage in Northwestern Spain, centering in the Pontevedra district. In Corunna, Lugo, Vigo and Ferrol, buildings were shattered. Several persons were injured.

TRIPLETS BORN TO LA CROSSE COUPLE TODAY

'Triplets were born to Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Allen, 921 Tyler street at St. Ann's hospital Saturday morning at five o'clock.

"All of the girls are just fine," was the reply received by a reporter upon making an inquiry at the hospital. Two of the newcomers weighed six pounds each while the third tipped the scale at four pounds. This is the only case of its kind reported in La Crosse county for a period of years.

BANKERS MAY PROBE FINANCIAL AFFAIRS OF ALLAN A. RYAN

Investigate Man Who Cornered Stutz and Was Suspended from Exchange

ACTION TO BE TAKEN TO PREVENT A RECEIVERSHIP

Market Depression Lowers Values of Ryan Securities

NEW YORK.—Plans for forming a committee of bankers to inquire into the affairs of Allan A. Ryan, capitalist, whose corner in Stutz Motors stock started Wall street last April and resulted eventually in his expulsion from the stock exchange, after he had himself announced his resignation, were considered Saturday at a conference of bankers and attorneys at the offices of the Guaranty Trust company.

The action, it is understood, is being taken in an effort to prevent a receivership, as the recent depression of the stock market is reported to have contracted the value of securities on which Mr. Ryan's extensive loans were based.

Liabilities involved are reported to approximate \$10,000,000 while Mr. Ryan's assets are given as between \$20,000,000 and \$25,000,000.

Ryan is ill

He is confined to his home by illness.

The banking interests reported in the movement include the Guaranty Trust company, the Chase National, Mechanics and Metal National, and First National banks, the Empire Trust company, the Lawyers' Title Trust company, and several others. These institutions are reported to hold Mr. Ryan's paper for large loans to finance his various interests.

The corner in Stutz engineered by Mr. Ryan last April gave the stock exchange one of the most exciting periods in its recent history. Stutz went up and up, under Mr. Ryan's pressure on "shorts," until a corner in the stock resulted.

Damage Suit Pending

The board of governors of the exchange promptly suspended dealing in the stock and Mr. Ryan in a statement bitterly criticizing the governors, announced his resignation. Instead of accepting the resignation, the governors conducted hearings which ended in his expulsion. Mr. Ryan has pending a large suit for damages against the board.

The Ryan interests include, in addition to the Stutz Motor company of America, the Stromberg Carborator company, Continental Candy company, Chicago Pneumatic Tool company, and Thuyden Chemical company.

The meeting today was informal because of the absence over the week-end of many bankers and interested lawyers, but it was decided to hold another conference Monday at which all the financial interests are expected to be represented. At this time formal plans for taking charge of Mr. Ryan's affairs will be considered.

Expect Mail Here Later

It is expected that after the service has been established a few weeks and required buildings and equipment have been provided on Salzer field, mail will be delivered, and received here by the planes on each trip.

For weeks de Havilland planes which will be used in the air-mail service on this route have been ferrying through La Crosse to give pilots an opportunity to become acquainted with the machines and route. Inauguration of the service was delayed until all preliminary arrangements had been perfected. At the terminals in the Twin cities and Chicago there are now parked a sufficient number of planes and equipment to assure daily operation in the air-mail service on this route.

Speeds Up Work Here

Announcement Saturday morning that the air-mail service through this city would be launched Monday expedited preparations for the providing of the necessary equipment on Salzer field. It was said that everything required would be provided as speedily as possible.

LAURA M. WEBSTER GRANTED A DIVORCE DESERTION CHARGED

Judgments in Favor of Jos. Steinberg, Sued by George Voight, Ordered by Court

Laura M. Webster was granted a divorce from William DeWitt Webster today in circuit court. Mrs. Webster charged her husband with desertion and failure to support her. In the complaint she declared that she went to Casson, in Northern Minnesota, where her husband was employed in a lumber camp and as there was no place for her to live she was forced to return to La Crosse. Mrs. Webster formerly was a school teacher in Iowa.

A motion for judgment in favor of Joseph Steinberg, who was sued by George Voight as the result of an automobile collision on the Onalaska road was ordered by Judge Higbee. Motions in favor of Steinberg also were ordered in the cases of Irene and Sadie Burns, who were riding in Voight's car and who were injured.

A judgment in favor of George Bakas who sued Gus Pappas for damages sustained when Pappas' car rammed Bakas' machine while going down a hill in Minnesota was ordered by the court.

SPECIAL MEETING OF CITY COUNCIL CALLED FOR MONDAY

A meeting of the finance committee of the common council has been called for Monday night at 7:00 o'clock for the purpose of considering the purchasing of adding machines. The ordinance committee will also meet Monday night at 7:15 for the purpose of considering the zoning ordinance.

A special meeting of the common council of the city of La Crosse has been called for 8 o'clock Monday night to consider the matter of considering the lease to cross the bridge with wires, the third reading and passage of the zoning ordinance, and the resolution to purchase adding machines will come up before the meeting.



SABBATH DAY SERVICES IN THE CHURCHES OF LA CROSSE

Go To Church

TOMORROW

METHODIST
First Methodist Church, Rev. E. C. Dixon, Pastor.
Sunday School 10 a. m. Prof. M. J. Logan, Superintendent.
Morning Worship 11 a. m. The organ numbers by Prof. F. W. Rowson will be: "Verses of Praise," "Gloria," and "The Postlude," "Grand Chorus," "Gull-mant."
The Quartet will sing and the topic of the sermon will be "The Christian's Responsibility and Opportunities of the Centenary."
At 2:30 p. m. The Junior League meets at the church.
At 4:45 p. m. The Epworth League has its service. The topic will be "The Christian's Responsibility and Opportunities of the Centenary."
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Sunday school, 9:30 in the morning. O. W. Munster, superintendent. Attention! Teachers and scholars, report at the first roll call and receive your own class in setting 100 percent credit. Each scholar is entitled to a beautiful savings box for the suffering children in India. Ask the superintendent or your teacher for one.
Sermon 10:15 by Rev. John H. Klaus, district superintendent. Holy Communion will be celebrated after the sermon. Organ Prelude, "Pastorale," by Kullback. "Communion," by Kullback. Song by the choir, "Consecration," by L. B. Borge. Epworth League meets at 7 p. m. under the leadership of Miss Alice Underhill. Rev. John H. Klaus will be the principal speaker. Rev. H. Klaus, Organ Prelude, "Postlude," by Kullback. "Nocturne," by Mendelssohn. Song by the choir, "I know," by L. B. Borge. Solo, "Open Ye the Gates of the Temple," by Marshall Cohen.
Tuesday from 3 to 5 p. m. the ladies aid society will serve coffee, and conduct a fund raising for the Epworth League. The proceeds of which will go to the Epworth League. The ladies aid society will meet Thursday afternoon in their regular monthly meeting in the church parlors. The Epworth League will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The Epworth League will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the church. The Epworth League will meet at 7:30 p. m. at the church.

seniors 8:00; juniors 10:30
choir rehearsal Thursday evening 7:30
Next Friday evening Dec. 3, at 7:30. Rev. A. P. A. Neudoerffer, one of our missionaries from India, who is now on his way back to his native land, will speak on the work our church is doing in that country. Rev. Neudoerffer spent a number of years in India and is thoroughly familiar with the customs and habits of the people. This meeting is of interest to all who are interested in the extension of Christ's Kingdom and all will be most cordially welcomed.
Our Saviour's Evangelical Lutheran church, corner Sixth and Division St., will have a service Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in English. Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Sunday school teachers' meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Evans, 809 Vine street.
Choir rehearsal Thursday evening. Confirmation class, Saturday 9 a. m.
St. Paul's Lutheran church, corner West Ave. and Division street, corner of Main and Division street, will have a service Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in English. Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Choir practice Tuesday evening. Every member should be present.
The Ladies Aid Society will meet in the church parlors Thursday afternoon. Mrs. P. Linde, Mrs. L. E. Engas, and Mrs. J. B. Johnson will entertain. The confirmation class meets Saturday afternoon at 10 a. m.
Young Women's Christian association, 420 Main street, will have a service Sunday morning at 10:30 a. m. Sermon in English. Holy Communion, 7:30 p. m. Sunday School 9:30 a. m.
Christ Church (Episcopal), corner of Ninth and Main streets, Rev. William Everett Johnson, pastor.
Services for the first Sunday in Advent: Holy Communion at 8 a. m. Church school at 10 a. m. Christmas carols and sermon at 10:45 a. m.
Music for the day: Processional hymn 42, "Gloria," Benedictus, "Gloria," and "Gloria." Hymn before the sermon, 48. A solo by Miss Ida Aiken will be sung after the sermon. Recessional hymn, 49.
Evangelical service at 7 p. m.
Rev. James S. Riddell of Milwaukee will officiate.
St. Peter's Episcopal church, corner of Ave. and Division street, north side, Rev. J. MacFarlane, curate.
Service Sunday, November 28th, at 10:30 a. m.
Thursday, December 2nd, the Women's Auxiliary will meet at the home of Mrs. Tom Budd, Mill street.
Thursday, December 2nd, will be observed by the church as a quiet day. To be conducted by Rev. N. D. Bigelow of Milwaukee. Vis. Services at 8 a. m. 4 p. m. and 7 p. m. A very cordial invitation to all who desire.
St. John's Reformed church, Fourth and Market streets, O. Stockmeyer, pastor.
Catechism classes each Saturday.

Sunday school at 9:15 a. m. Divine worship at 10:30 a. m. English service by the pastor.
Young People's society meets Thursday evening at 7:30.
Junior League meets Friday evening at 7:30.
Brief meeting of consistory at close of service.
CONGREGATIONAL
The First Congregational church, Seventh and Main streets, Rev. Carlos C. Rowland, pastor.
Public service of worship at 10:30 a. m. Sermon, "The Unchangeable Rock of Christ." Choruses: "Babylon," "Rock of Ages," "Rock of Ages." Organ numbers: "Rock of Ages," "Rock of Ages." West: "Rock of Ages." All are most cordially welcome to this service.
The Vesper rehearsal of the Pilgrim pageant will be held at 5 o'clock sharp Sunday afternoon. There will be a closing season of worship at 5:45.
Membership department meets at the church Tuesday evening at 7:30.
Communion preparatory service at the church Wednesday evening at 7:30 o'clock.
Woman's union meets Thursday at 10 o'clock a. m. for an all-day new. Luncheon will be served. Mesdames Bunge, Bentley, Douglass, Green, Josten, Abram, James and Martin being the hostesses.
CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
First Church of Christ, Scientist, Mass. Temple, Main and Eighth streets.
Sunday service at 11 a. m. Subject: "Ancient and Modern Necromancy, Alas Necromancy and Hypnotism, Denial." You are welcome to all services.
Sunday school at 9:30 a. m.
Wednesday evening testimonial meeting at 8 o'clock.
Free reading room open every day except Sunday and legal holidays from 11 a. m. to 5 p. m., room 415, B. A. National bank building, fourth floor.
SEVENTH DAY ADVENTISTS
"How Thankful We Americans Ought to be That God Prompted Our Forefathers in 1776 to Provide Religious Liberty by Our Constitution." This will be the subject of discourse by the evangelist, J. T. Worrell, Sunday evening at 7:30 p. m. in the church, corner Liberty and Clinton streets. Do not forget the good old praise service just prior to the regular meeting.
EVANGELICAL
The Evangelical Free church, corner of Wisconsin and South Fifth street, Rev. B. A. Jonassen, pastor.
Morning services in Norwegian at 10:45. Theme: "Christ the Redeemer." Sunday school and adults Bible class at 12 noon.
English young people's meeting at 8:45 p. m. R. A. Sivertsen will lead this meeting.
Evening service at 8 also in English. Notice Professor O. C. Grauer, D. D., from Chicago, Ill. will be with us at the young people's meeting and evening service. It is the first time he is here. Dr. Grauer's subjects: "The Young People's Meeting," "The Gospel of a Profitable Life." At the evening service: "Business With God." Come and hear Dr. Grauer Sunday.
Wednesday, strong band practice. Choir practice Thursday.

Thanks for Sunday Rest

Had you thought that the day you call your "rest day" comes because of the Christian religion? No politician or secular writer or heathen philosopher conceived it. It is "different" from other days because our forefathers believed in God's plan of life; and established this day for thankfulness.

SUNDAY WILL BE "DIFFERENT" IF YOUR THOUGHTS ARE DIFFERENT
CHURCH ATTENDANCE MAKES THE DAY UNIQUE

The Ladies' Aid meeting on Friday evening at 8 o'clock. Mesdames Tesley and Thomas Thompson will entertain. A very good program and refreshments served. Everyone heartily invited to all services.
PRESBYTERIAN
First Presbyterian church, Sixth and King streets, Claude R. Shaver, minister.
Morning worship at 10:35 will consider a life secret which interests each person sooner or later—"When Weakness Makes Strength." Of course, how applies to spiritual as well as physical weakness.
Evening worship at 7:30 will contain an echo of the recent festival day in the theme: "The Thanksgiving." After touching upon some final effects of the habit of appreciation. Our familiar song program still meets popular favor. You are welcome to share it this Sunday evening.
Bible schools meet at 9:45 a. m. as follows: Main school, Martin Stenerson, superintendent. Primary, Mrs. H. Scofield, superintendent. Grace chapel at 2:30 p. m., Mrs. E. Cronen, superintendent.
Young people's hour at 6:30 is open to a growing company of young folk interested in religious discussion and praise. Strangers and students especially welcome.
Mothers' Circle will hold the quarterly Birthday meeting in the parlors on Wednesday. Needlework club and Ladies' society unite in a joint meeting in the parlors on Thursday afternoon. Wednesday night meeting will offer a popular topic: "How Matthew Helps us to Know Jesus." Students and parents of the bible are especially welcome.
North Presbyterian church, Logan and Ave. streets, Malcolm O. Magnuson, minister.
Sabbath school at 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11. "Our Bible, the Divine Library."
Evening service at 7:30. The Missionary society will give the following program:
Prelude.
Song by congregation.
Invocation.
Song by congregation.
Violin selection—Mrs. Benz and Mrs. Chichester.
Vocal solo—Mrs. L. Instenes.
Piano duet—Viola Schell and Beatrice Nutting.
Violin solo—George Fancher.
Vocal solo—Mr. H. Hanson.
Violin selection—Mrs. Benz and Mrs. Chichester.
Song by congregation.
Benediction.
Postlude.
Thursday, December 2nd, under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid society our annual bazaar and supper. Great preparations are being made for this event. We feel sure there will be a hearty response. Come and invite your friend. Our ladies always serve a good supper. Welcome!
SALVATION ARMY
The Salvation Army, 314 South Fourth street, Adjutant and Mrs. Swan, son, officers.
Holiness meet. Mr. Walter Duty will preach, at 11 a. m.
Sunday school at 2 p. m.
Salvation meeting at 8 p. m.
Meetings during the week as follows:
Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 8 p. m. You are welcome.
RESCUE MISSION
La Crosse Rescue Mission, 212 Pearl street, D. C. Dewey, superintendent.
Mrs. D. C. Dewey, missionary.
Sunday school at 3 followed by prayer meeting.
Evening service at 8. Superintendent Dewey will speak.
Thomas Johnson and Thomas Sibley will have charge of the service on Monday night.
Russell Parce will have the service Tuesday night.
Rev. P. L. Holden will teach the bible class Friday night at 7:30.
Mothers' meeting Wednesday afternoon at 2:30. Service every night at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.
GOSPEL MEETINGS
Gospel Hall—Clinton street. Christians Gathered to the Name of Our Lord Jesus Christ. Meeting as follows:
Breaking of Bread in Remembrance of Him at 10:30 a. m.
Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.
Gospel meeting at 7:30 p. m.
Prayer and ministry of the word, Wednesday evening at 7:30 p. m.
Bible study Friday evening at 7:30 p. m. All welcome.

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VETERANS OF LAST YEAR'S TEAM BACK

BASKETBALL PROSPECTS BRIGHT
Chances for a good basketball season are bright. Coach Mead will have veterans for the entire season, and will have five members of last year's team until February.
Capt. Zeeb and Vondrashek and C. Stokke will be back for the entire season. E. Stokke and Sullivan will play until February.
Capt. Zeeb and Vondrashek are two men around whom Mead can build a strong squad. Zeeb is a brainy player, fast on his feet and a good shot. Vondrashek has starred in most of the games he played in, his shooting being the feature of the Normal school tournament last year. There will be a wealth of material from last year's second team, and the new men at the game who will be out for the first time this year.

CONFERENCE NEEDED FOR CHAMPIONSHIP

Although the season is practically at an end, the state championship is as much of a puzzle as though there had been no football season. The W. I. A. A. was organized for the betterment of sport, in every sense of the word, in the high schools of this state. In most ways they have done their work admirably. Fifty have brought scholastic standings among players up, have stopped every crooked move made by schools low enough to use such methods. They have also succeeded in bettering the spirit of good sportsmanship between the different schools.
Another thing they have done is to organize basketball and track, so that each year some definite school can win the championship.
But the greatest task is left undone. Football is recognized throughout the country as the big sport in high schools and colleges. High school football in Wisconsin is not organized. Instead of one recognized state champion each year, there are at least six or seven claimants for the championship. And generally all have a good claim to the bacon.
The agency that controls football in this state, at least in picking state champions, is the different newspapers throughout the state. And the newspaper is generally a poor judge. Partiality to the home team, or some team within the immediate vicinity is nearly always shown.
So the big job left for the W. I. A. A. is to organize football in Wisconsin. An argument often advanced is that there are so many schools, and the season is so short, that they cannot possibly get one champion, and give every team in the state a fair chance. But this argument seems to be unfounded. Minnesota has fully as many teams and the season extends from September until Thanksgiving, the same as in this state. But in spite of these so-called difficulties, they succeeded in selecting one team as the state champions, with apparently no dispute as to the justice of the choice.
Everyone would like to see this difficulty straightened out, and the W.

LA CRESCENT STUDENTS UNITE TO OUST WOLVES

The La Crescent Wolf club again is preparing to do its share of the season's killing now that the wolves are making their appearance once more. The score of hunters among whom are Donald Cameron and La Crescent students, two high school students, are planning to give them a hot reception with their four big wolf hounds. The high school students coming from La Crescent have already seen one or two wolves at long range in the swamps between La Crescent and La Crescent and several have been seen near the La Crescent railroad tracks and near the Cameron home.

MACK GIVES PARTY TO MEAD'S FOOTBALL MEN

Saturday evening Mr. Mack was host at a dance given for the football boys and the Eau Claire team. Am. Morris' orchestra furnished the usual jazz music. Several boys who

ESSAY CONTEST HELD IN GRADES

The "Cure or Prevention of Tuberculosis" was the subject of an essay contest held by the committee on Public Health throughout the sixth, seventh and eighth grades of La Crosse. The contest closed November 19 and the papers have now gone to a committee of high school and Normal school English teachers for grading. Nineteen prizes amounting to \$50 will be given to the winners. The first prize will be ten dollars.

SALE OF XMAS GIFTS IN MAIN HALL DEC. 1

Candle shades, sofas, sets, Xmas cards, painted boxes, desk pads, place cards, book ends and penholders. Gifts will be put on sale by the Art department in the main hall December 1. These articles are made by the art students; they will be sold during the sixth and ninth periods and after school. Just a few of each of the various articles have been made, but orders for more will be made at the sale; that is, anyone can get what he likes after a few days' notice. The best things will be sold first so come early to get your choice.

SOPHS WIN GIRLS' BASKETBALL CHAMPIONSHIP

The girls' basketball tournament ended in a game for the championship between the Sophomores and the Juniors. The Sophomores' line-up is as follows:
Edith Ferris—Forward.
Margaret Hatch—Forward.
Ann Threlk—Guard.
Ruth Parker—Guard.
Mamie Halmar—Jumping Center.
Janet Atkinson—Running Center.

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FEAR NOT

FEAR not, for I have redeemed thee, I have called thee by thy name; thou art mine.—Isaiah 63: 1. Draw nigh unto thy soul and redeem it.—Isaiah 69: 18.

IRISH HOME RULE

THE Irish Home Rule bill, passed by the House of Commons, is said to have been designed primarily to prevent religious civil war in Ireland, and "is not the final word of British concessions."

The new bill gives a separate parliament to the Protestant north and a separate parliament to the Catholic south and west of Ireland. A union of the two will result "when both desire it." But, for the present, while religious passion runs high, British statesmen say it would be criminal folly for the House of Commons to force a single parliament upon the antagonistic elements. The northern Protestants would rebel against Catholic rule and Ireland would be more aflame than it is now.

The Dominion of Canada was not established as a self-governing unit by compelling all Canadians to join the union. The Northwest Territory, British Columbia and Prince Edward Island entered the dominion at different dates after its foundation. Newfoundland is still outside the dominion. And so friends of the Irish bill declare that Great Britain has done no more than follow the Canadian precedent in declining to compel all parts of Ireland to accept united home rule.

In the first stage of passionate resentment against being refused governmental control over the northern sections, the south and west of Ireland may refuse to accept self-government. If that emergency occurs, it is said commission government will be exercised.

The measure of home rule granted to Ireland is not full dominion self-government. That is to say, neither of the Irish parliaments is empowered to equip a force of militia or to maintain a navy. England insists that her self-governing colonies enjoy these privileges only because their loyalty to the British brotherhood of commonwealths is beyond question.

Thus far there are no indications that the new bill will bring peace to Ireland, but when the passions already engendered wear themselves down Irishmen may conclude to take what is offered for what it is worth and with it try to weld together an Irish nation. Time will tell, if time lasts long enough. Hope faces the fact that many years have passed since some poet wrote of the Irish people "fightin' for conciliation, and hatin' each other for th' love o' God".

THE PAY IN PEACE

THE trade of the United States with Mexico this year, according to the government's estimates, will touch the \$300,000,000 mark for the first time in history. This is almost three times the trade between the two countries five years ago.

There may be glory in war, in revolutions, but there is golden prosperity in peace. Mexico now is learning this. A few years of this peaceful prosperity will do more to wipe out banditry and ambitions from peon minds than an avalanche of laws and an army of police.

TO KILL WILDCATS

EVERY dollar invested in wildcat stock is three lost: First, by the man who saved it; second, by the legitimate industry forced to compete for capital against blue-sky stock crooks; third, by society, which would have profited by use of the money in legitimate business.

And it isn't always the dollar sunk in mythical gold mines or oil wells that thus commits suicide.

W. B. Colver, former member of the Federal Trade Commission, cites the case of a substantial, going New York concern, in need of more capital. It got the money on these terms: Of every dollar invested by the public the company received thirty cents. The balance was split three ways—twenty-three cents to the un-

derwriters, twenty-nine cents to the sub-underwriters and eighteen cents to the brokers.

Efforts of various states to prevent stock grafting through "blue-sky" laws have been ineffectual.

Federal license would make the government almost a guarantor of issues ok'd. The stock exchange plan would put legitimate business in the hollow of the hand of the stock broker.

Publicity is Colver's solution. He would require detailed statements of a concern's financial and physical condition, of the purpose for which the new money would be used, of all promotion fees and payments to bankers, underwriters or brokers.

COAL IN THE MAKING

PEAT is not a familiar fuel in the United States. More attention is being given to peat now that it is realized that coal, gas and oil fields are not inexhaustible.

Peat is coal in the making. It is the decaying vegetation which has filled a lake and turned it into a bog. There are great peat beds in this country, some of them in Michigan and Minnesota.

The chief difficulty has been to devise a machine which will dig and dry peat economically. It is not practical to cut peat by hand as is done abroad. Three months of sunshine are required to dry the bricks of peat cut from a marsh by hand, and it isn't practical to dry them by baking. That would require more fuel than would be contained in the finished product.

Minnesota experiments have produced a machine which digs the peat, grinds it, and spreads it on the ground in a thin layer which dries quickly. This is a large machine which is said to produce a ton of dried peat at a cost of \$2.25.

REMEMBER THE SONLAND

THUS wrote Longfellow:

"Look not mournfully into the past * * * Wisely improve the present * * * Go forth to meet the shadowy future without fear."

Good stuff, even though a bit platitudinous. Native Americans boast of the things the Fathers accomplished.

Imported Americans keep alive a tender regard for "The Fatherland."

Quite natural and, in a way commendable. But do we not sometimes lose sight of the fact that WE are fathers, too, and we are fathering a land for our sons and their sons?

Doesn't the thought help us a little not to rely on what our ancestors have done for us, not to be guided necessarily by precedent, not to be steered forever by the dead hand, but to remember that we, too, are making history and that we need to make it not alone to save our own skins, but for the safety and freedom of our descendants?

Every citizen in the world today must face the problems of the world. He must help overcome them, or they will overcome him and his sons.

Let him forget past prejudices and be not too sure of past prides.

Let him remember Fatherland less and Sonland more.

In Ye Olden Times

TEN YEARS AGO TODAY

Next Sunday afternoon Bishop James Schwebach will dedicate the new school house erected by St. Mary's congregation at the corner of Seventh and Cameron Avenue.

What is declared by railroad officials to be a world's record in transporting a train of orchard products more than half way across the continent, was set yesterday when the National Apple Show special, a train of sixteen cars, pulled into the Chicago yards from Spokane, Wash., having covered 1,949 miles in sixty hours and five minutes. The train passed through La Crosse at midnight Wednesday.

The board of public works has made an estimate of the cost of the test of the well water in this city under the supervision of the state railroad commission. The work will cost \$4,000 and will be started tomorrow, by an expert sent here by the commission.

The spirit of fellowship and humanity which is the fundamental element of Elfdom will find expression during the holidays in a Christmas dinner for the poor of La Crosse.

TWENTY YEARS AGO TODAY

County Clerk J. E. Keizer has the certificates of election all made out and they are ready to be delivered to the men who were elected.

Christ Fladheim opened up a new machine shop in the old street car barn on the north side today. He will manufacture gasoline engines and steam yacht supplies and will employ fifteen men.

S. O. Groven who left this city for the Klondike in 1898 returned from there yesterday. He brought about \$2,000 worth of gold nuggets back with him.

The Catholic Order of Foresters has completed arrangements for a lecture course of five numbers to be given at Germania hall this winter.

THIRTY YEARS AGO TODAY

Father Weidman of St. Joseph's cathedral went to Chippewa Falls this morning to officiate at the funeral of Father Goldschmidt who died yesterday.

Charles Spaulding, formerly of this city, but now of South Dakota, has returned to La Crosse to spend the winter.

John A. Salzer and daughter, Bertha, left this morning for the Pacific coast to spend the rest of the winter.

A party composed of John Sili and wife, John B. Romie and wife, I. Dahl, H. Ude, Lars Roberg and R. Roberg, left for a visit to their old homes in Norway. They will make the entire journey together.

LOOKING LIKE A MILLION

BY WILL T. AMES

When Beth Bedell came back to North Gilead, after two years' absence in the metropolis, the clothes she wore produced exactly opposite impressions in the minds of Hugh Silsby and Imogene Dart.

Imogene, though she had but a fleeting glimpse of Beth as the "jit" from Gilead snorted through the village, exultantly reported to Amy Austin that "Beth Bedell is home, wearing about a dollar and a quarter's worth of dress and forty cents worth of hat!"

Hugh, however, experienced a sudden sinking sensation around the heart when he made an errand over to the Bedell's that afternoon and found Beth looking, as he told himself, "like a million dollars."

Beth's face lighted as the tall young farmer came through the gate, and if Hugh had been less stunned by the luxurious aspect of the home-comer he might have noticed that the rose of her cheeks grew deeper as she shook hands with him.

What really absorbed Hugh's mind to most melancholy effect was the conviction that it had all worked out with Beth precisely as it always did in the Gilead, that Imogene, Beth had become a regular fashionable city girl, quite unattainable for a plain fellow like himself. Why, her clothes alone must cost a lot more in a year than he could clear on his place even with the best of luck!

Dispirited, vaguely but keenly disappointed—for he had been thinking a deal, and with secret hopefulness, about Beth ever since he had heard she was coming home—Hugh followed the well-blazed trail of ingenious youth in such case made and provided. He stalked. And his stalks took the guise of stiff formality.

"Glad to see you home, Miss Bedell," he said solemnly.

"Miss Bedell!" laughed Beth. "Since when? Don't be silly, Hugh. It's awfully good to see you. Why don't you tell me I'm looking well?"

"You look mighty nifty, if that's what you mean," replied Hugh with elaborate unconsciousness; "but you look like somebody else—somebody that flies high. Guess you perch on a different tree from your old friends nowadays, don't you? Your father, isn't?"

For an instant Beth stared amazed. Then the rose in her cheeks died till in either only a tiny red spot remained. "He's out at the barn," she said, and without further word walked straight into the house.

North Gilead was a very small place. It boasted of only one rich man, and of him it boasted not greatly. Merton Phelps at twenty-five was a shade stinger than his father had been at seventy-two, when after a lifetime of miserliness he left a trunkful of beloved mortgages and securities to his only son.

Young Phelps dressed showily, if with infinite regard for a bargain, for he was vain. He cultivated the manner of a village beau, for he had a keen eye for feminine loveliness, but no North Gilead girl could truthfully maintain that Merton had ever spent a nickel on her. Still there is a certain glamour to a hundred and fifty thousand dollars, and girls were not wanting to welcome his expensive insinuating flatteries.

On the afternoon of Beth's homecoming, within an hour after Hugh's brief visit, she met Phelps in the postoffice. And when spurred by the fascination of beauty, exceptionally handsome and extremely good-looking, he asked if he might "drop around and see" on the porch with her that evening, Beth granted him the privilege with a consciousness quite new to her experiences.

Two evenings after that North Gilead was shaken to its foundations by the news, spread like wildfire, that Merton Phelps had actually hired Ed Godfrey's new roadster and taken Beth Bedell to ride, leaving his own old second-hand Duffer idle in the garage. And when, next day, it transpired that he had taken her to Lake Chamung and paid four dollars for something to eat at the Chamung Pavilion, the community almost became speechless.

That was the beginning. For two weeks Merton Phelps belied his reputation and his antecedents at a ruinous rate. The dark-green roadster was at the Bedell's door daily. And when it wasn't carrying Beth off on some frightfully costly excursion or other, it was chasing into Gilead after chocolate and, finally, for a box of orchids especially ordered from the Gilead florist.

Meanwhile Hugh Silsby had suffered agonies of remorse for his childish behavior toward Beth—and continued to sulk deeper. Not again did he see Beth, save at a distance, except once when she waved at him from the green car and was gone like a flash with "that damned monkey of a Phelps" grinning at her side.

It was the morning after the orchids. Hugh was disconsolately going about his "chores" in his big barn when there came a light step on the floor and a laughing "Good morning, Hugh." It was Beth.

"Good morning. Isn't this a queer place for a city—"

"Now Hugh, you stop that," interrupted Beth. "I'm not going to let you take that tone with me again. It isn't fair to me—nor to yourself. I've come to tell you something. Do you want to hear it?"

It was the old Beth. He could see it now, even if there was something different about the clothes and the way her hair was done, and such small matters. But it only made Hugh's sense of loss the more acute.

"I'm mighty sorry, Beth," he said, "that I was—well, downright nasty the day you came home. But I guess it isn't going to be easy to hear what you have to tell. Maybe we'd better take it for granted. I hope we'll make you happy. I honestly do."

Then Beth laughed—a very real, hearty laugh, but with a little catch at the end.

"Hugh," she said, "Mert Phelps is a horrible little cad. I wouldn't marry him if every dollar he has were a million and he'd spend it all as I wished. Listen to me, guess I know in a minute, that day, what was the matter with you. You thought I had grown luxurious and extravagant and so grown hopelessly away from home and everything like—like this. And all because I had caught a little of the knack that so many city girls simply have to acquire—of making a lot of appearance on next to nothing. Hugh, I didn't succeed very well in town. I've had a pretty hard time. Right now I'm the most cheaply dressed girl in North Gilead. But I didn't like it anyway. I wanted home and the old folks. And I missed you, Hugh. I've never forgotten what you said just before I went away—and I looked forward to your liking me. And then you had to go and jump at the notion that I had gotten to be a swell—and would think only about loads of money for clothes and things!"

SCHOOL STUDY SPORTS

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BOYHOOD STORIES OF FAMOUS MEN

John Muir

"John, is it necessary to tell you every night that you must go to bed when your brothers go?"

The father glanced at the book his boy was reading and when he saw that it was a church history, his anger was somewhat abated.

"Get up early in the morning if you want to read," he said.

John was gleeful, but he didn't know how he would get awake. But at one o'clock the next morning he awoke as if by magic. How fine it was that he would have such a long time to read!

John Muir was an ardent student of botany and geology. He has been called "John O' Mountains," "The Father of the Yosemite," and "The Lord of Skyland."

OLD LADY RIDDLE

Why should the male sex avoid the letter "A"?

(Answer to yesterday's: Potatoes and corn are like certain sinners of old because, having eyes they see not, and ears they hear not.)

"How many studies are your carrying?"

"I'm carrying one and dragging four."

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MANY SEEK POST AS SERGEANT-AT-ARMS OF BADGER SENATE

Three Candidates Already in the Field and Others are Expected to Come Out

THREE-CORNERED CONTEST FOR SPEAKER OF ASSEMBLY

Young, Ingalls and Olson Out for the Place

MADISON, Wis.—The position of sergeant-at-arms of the state senate seems to be a plum that many are desirous of picking. Three candidates have already appeared in the field and several others have been mentioned. Assemblyman F. N. Griggs, Sturgeon Bay, who was defeated in the primaries, is writing letters to all of the state senators urging his candidacy for the position. Chief Goldstrand, Rhineland, who has served many years as assistant sergeant of the assembly and later in the senate, has announced his candidacy. C. P. Moulton, Madison, who acted as one of the assistants of the last session, is in the field as a candidate.

The position of sergeant-at-arms of the senate was held two years ago by Colonel John Turner, Madison. Recently Colonel Turner was elected as head of the soldiers' home at Watapen to take the place of Colonel Watson, resigned. This announcement brought the several candidates into the field for sergeant-at-arms candidacy.

So far only one man has been mentioned for chief clerk of the senate. This is Colonel G. C. Munson, who has held the position for several years. It is generally believed that Colonel Munson will again be a candidate for the position.

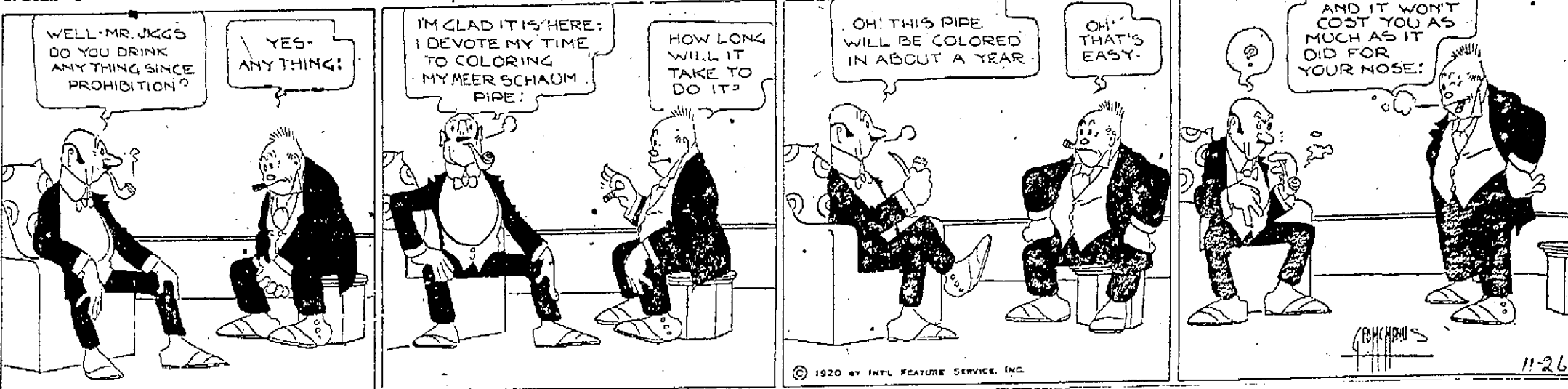
On the assembly side there appears to be no opposition to C. E. Shaffer, Madison, as chief clerk of the house. He has served in that capacity for seven terms and is generally elected without opposition. In many cases, the opposing votes of the democrats and the republicans.

There is a contest on for sergeant-at-arms of the assembly. T. G. Croft, Madison, who has held the position for two terms, is again a candidate. He has written to the members of the assembly and his friends claim that he has received many pledges. Former Assemblyman Harry Hewett, Clark county, a member of the last session, is out interviewing members of the assembly in favor of his candidacy for this position. On a recent visit to Madison, Hewett claimed that the prospects were bright for his election.

The assembly speakership contest has developed into a three-cornered affair. Assemblyman Riley S. Young, Watworth county, the speaker of the last session is making a personal canvass of the members for the position. He claims to have the support of many of the old members for the position. Former Assemblyman Wallace Ingalls, Racine, has written letters to most of the assemblymen urging his candidacy. He was a member of the 1909 session. The third man mentioned for the place is Assemblyman William Olson, Green county, a former who was active at the last session in favor of former legislation.

The civil service commission will hold examinations next Saturday for vacancies in positions as employees of the legislature. Many of the employees of the last session are making applications to be returned to their old places. The legislature convenes on January 12.

BRINGING UP FATHER



The Screen

AT THE THEATERS TODAY
Rivoli—"Nomads of the North" by James Oliver Curwood. Ray in "Paris Green."
Majestic—Charles Ray in "Paris Green."
Riviera—Lillian Walker in "The Embarrassment of Riches."
Casino—Dorothy Dalton in "The Vampire."
Bi-Jou—Neal Hart in "A Lone Hand."
Strand—Tom Moore in "The Great Accident."

Imagine a pet dog and a pet bear chained together stranded in the very swift currents of a river of the Paris North and finally being dashed over a precipitous rapid and through sheer animal intelligence and presence of mind, rescuing each other in the end. According to an authorized statement, a dog and a bear were actually put to this severe test, being abandoned together upon their own resources for the sake of realism in James Oliver Curwood's "Nomads of the North," which is now showing at the Rivoli theater.

For at least two minutes the remarkable struggles of these animals occupy the whole screen and it is said, the manner in which they finally reach safety is such as to elicit actual cheers.

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 Charles Ray wears khaki during **RHEUMATIC PAINS RAISING A RUMPUS?**
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 THE HOME OF QUALITY FINISHING

ment of Riches." will be the feature attraction at the Rivoli today only. The story is from the stage success of the same name, and it also marks the return of the screen favorite, Lillian Walker, once a film favorite. "Neal but Not Gaudy," a comedy will complete the bill.

BIJOU
 "A Lone Hand," a romance of the western country starring Neal Hart, for the last times today at the Bijou. This picture contains thrills and suspense a plenty, and was well liked by the crowds at the Bijou last evening. "Her Torpedo Love," a comedy completes the program.

BUDDIES NEXT TUESDAY
 After twelve consecutive months in the Selwyn theater, New York, "Buddies," the biggest theatrical hit of last season, has started its tour of the leading cities of America, and will be the attraction here at the La Crosse theater Tuesday, November 29th.

The Selwyns are the producers responsible for the presentation while George V. Hobart is the author of the book, and R. Z. Hilliam responsible for the lyric and music.

While "Buddies" is not strictly speaking a musical comedy it may be accurately described as a comedy with music, which merely means that the ar-

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CHARLES RAY
 —IN—
"Paris Green"
 An old friend in his famous rubic makeup.

"Regular Pal"
 Comedy.

FOX NEWS

COOPER'S CASINO
 TODAY ONLY

DOROTHY DALTON
 —IN—
"The Vampire"
 An old favorite in her favorite role.

"DOWN BESIDE THE SEASIDE"
 Comedy.

TOMORROW
LILLIAN WALKER

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HOME OF THE PIPE ORGAN
 LAST TIMES TODAY

Neal Hart
 —IN—
"A Lone Hand"

"Her Torpedo Love"
 Comedy.

TOMORROW
 The Theater will be closed for the balance of the season.

STRAND

TODAY ONLY

TOM MOORE
 —IN—
"The Great Accident"

"London Bobby"
 Pollard Comedy

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LAST TIMES TODAY

"NOMADS OF THE NORTH"
 From the novel by JAMES OLIVER CURWOOD
 —With—
 Lon Chaney, Lewis Stone, and Betty Blythe

"TORCHY'S MILLIONS"
 —WITH—
 JOHNNY HINES

Riviera

TODAY ONLY

LILLIAN WALKER
 —IN—
"The Embarrassment of Riches"

A story of what money will do and what it won't do.

"NEAT BUT NOT GAUDY"
 Comedy.

TOMORROW
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La Crosse Theatre

Wednesday Dec. 1st



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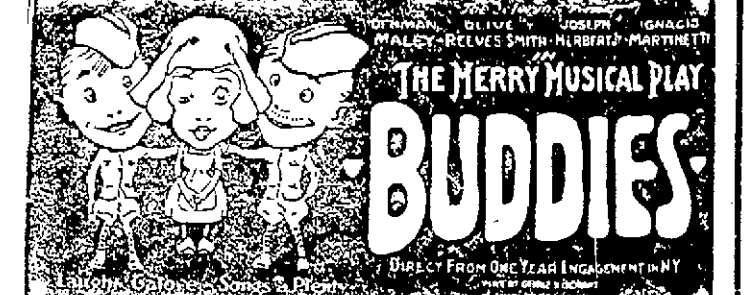
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DEBATING SEASON TO OPEN AT HIGH AROUSSES INTEREST

Students Anxiously Awaiting the Big Forensic Encounters Between Teams

This year promises to be one of the most successful in the history of the local high school, for those interested in the progress of debating. The annual wordy combat between the Lincoln Douglas and the Wendell Phillips debating societies, is expected to open the season in form, both claiming to have the best teams that have represented them for a number of years.

In age and experience, however, the Wendell Phillips team has a big advantage, all three of its group having debated before in the interschool debates. Their side will be opened by Lloyd Stein, who will be followed by Ralph Mattison and William Voss. But one reason is left in the hands of the Lincoln Douglas, Walter Henske, who argued with the Wendell Phillips last year. The rest of the team consists of Paul Larson and Lester Roy. The alternate is not known yet. John Bailey will be the fourth man on the platform for the Wendell Phillips.

Personal interest was manifested in the selection of speakers this year. The Lincoln Douglas held a tryout in which nearly every member present took part. It was judged by Miss Pease, Miss Bach and Mr. Prattman, the opposing team was elected, and the decision was practically unanimous.

These debates are considered very important, though nothing is recorded except the temporary supremacy of one society over the other, the experience gained is invaluable, the selection of speakers for the interschool debates can more justly be made and the speakers can gain a thorough knowledge of their subject. The question for the inter-school debate is: "Resolved, that presidential primaries should take the place of the nominating conventions in selecting candidates for the presidency." The question to be discussed in the interschool debate, has not yet been determined, but it will probably be an compulsory abdication of the Irish question. A large turnout is expected at the trials for the latter debate, the girls' society has done much to foster argumentation among the fair sex and a number of girls are expected to try out.

IN THE MORNING PAPERS A Summary of the News

CHICAGO. — Strained financial conditions in North Dakota had much to do with a violent new break in the price of wheat. For the first time in several years the cereal commanded less than \$1.00 for a bushel.

PHOENIX, Ariz. — Alfonso P. Serrano, brother of Robert V. Serrano, confidential agent of the Mexican government at Washington, has been suspended as Mexican consul at Toluca because he refused to accept orders from Mexico City to receive the passport of United States Senator A. L. Hall of New Mexico.

SALT LAKE CITY, Utah. — Flood- ing duty on twenty-three charges of misappropriation of public funds, Edward A. Bush, former mayor of Salt Lake City, was sentenced to an indeterminate term in the state prison of not to exceed five years on each charge.

GENEVA. — That the United States would be the best nation to accept the mandate for Armenia is the opinion of Lord Robert Cecil, who is acting as one of South Africa's delegates to the league of nations assembly, as expressed to the newspaper correspondents.

PHILADELPHIA. — The price of milk to Philadelphia consumers will be reduced two cents a quart December 1, when the retail price will become thirteen cents, according to decision of the tri-state milk producers' association.

CHICAGO, Ill. — Bread will be a cent a loaf cheaper here beginning Monday according to announcement by R. J. Doole, secretary of the billion of living committee of the city council.

LEADERSHIP VOTE TO REDUCE THEIR WAGES
MARSHFIELD, Ore. — The local legion of loggers and lumbermen, at a mass meeting Friday night adopted a resolution that the present wage scale of \$3.50 a day and upward for mill employees be reduced to \$4.80 and upward. Merchants told the men that the cost of living had come down at least fifteen percent and they offered to meet the proposed cut in wages.

Greek Name for Rainbow
The ancient Greeks called the rainbow "The Scour of Iris." Iris, in their mythology, was the attendant of Jupiter, always represented as being exceedingly beautiful.

COMING EVENTS

(These dates are taken.) Before deciding upon a date confer with Chamber of Commerce. Phone 76, and avoid conflict.

Nov. 25—Music Study Club, Cecil Burleigh, Edna Gunnar Peterson, La Crosse Theater.

Nov. 30—8 p. m.—First Baptist Church. Guest Club will present "The Splendor of the Club."

Nov. 30—Salzer Memorial church—Ladies Aid—Coffee—Every cent of proceeds go to hungry and starving children of central Europe.

Dec. 1—Christmas Sale—Afternoon and Evening—Ladies Gorman Reformed Church—11th and Market streets.

Dec. 4—Regular meeting of Teachers' Club—Y. M. C. A.—8:00 p. m.

Dec. 1—2:30 p. m.—La Crosse Woman's Club—Mrs. C. J. Snyder, 220 North Ninth St.

Dec. 2—3 p. m.—General Members' Dinner—Chamber of Commerce.

Dec. 2—West Avenue Methodist church—Bazaar and chicken pie supper.

Dec. 2—Supper and Bazaar in church parlors—Ladies Aid society, North Presbyterian church.

Dec. 3—12 O. K. K. ceremonial.

Dec. 4—12 O. K. K. Temple—La Crosse County Community Council Noon Luncheon—Mr. Cary, State Superintendent of Schools, Speaker.

Dec. 4—Bazaar and Supper—First Presbyterian Church—Afternoon and evening.

Dec. 7—8:00 p. m.—Dinner given by Men's Club—Congregational Church in club rooms.

Dec. 8—Agricultural, Horticultural and Dairyman's Association—Campbell Town Hall—Luncheon at noon.

Dec. 9—Five Dollar Day—Auspices Merchants' Bureau—Chamber of Commerce.

Dec. 10—Meeting to form local branch of State Horticultural Society—Afternoon and evening—Chamber of Commerce Assembly Room.

Dec. 12—Normal Lecture Course—Trio Lillie, Ruth, and Mary. Hermonky, Bruno Staudel, M. Boguslawsky.

Dec. 14—7:30—Caledonia Street Methodist church. Quaker Esther Circle—Bazaar and luncheon.

Jan. 21—Music Study Club, Allen McQuinn, Tenor, La Crosse Theater.

Jan. 22—27-28-29—State Corn and Grain Show.

Feb. 15—Normal Lecture Course—Mr. Frederick Landis.

City Briefs

Yeomen Hall, Dance Sat., Sun. Gabel's. Dance Tues.

Rev. James Siddle, of Milwaukee, will be an over Sunday guest of Mr. and Mrs. Ruth Espersen, 1024 King street.

Don't forget First Presbyterian church Christmas sale and supper, December 4th.

Thill-Manning-Whalen, Co. Get prices on plumbing and heating of us before closing out.

Mrs. J. Keppen, 1611 Loomis St. and two sons are visiting relatives in Chicago.

"Brunswick Phonographs" and records at Noelle's, 531 Main.

Pies, homemade, 40c. Try our fried cakes. Phone your choice to Alfons, 899-m. Del. daily, a. m. and p. m.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Lawrence and children of Richland Center, are visiting here.

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List your real estate for sale, with the Anderson Realty Co., 415 Main St. Phone 120.

For accessories go to Seaton's Auto Supply Shop, 109 No. 3rd St.

Mr. E. J. Wislizenus, 1323 George St. is ill at his home.

Armory Hall, Dance tonight, also tomorrow night, Mack's orchestra.

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Mr. Floyd Hanson, 1514 Caledonia street Thursday in Pardierville.

Gibson's Sunday special. Brick Ice Cream, Pistachio Nut and Caramel. At your dealers.

Mack's Orchestra for your Dec. dance dates. Phone or write.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Rogers of Minneapolis, were called here because of the illness of her father.

Baggage transferred by Gateway City Transfer Co. Phone 179 before 6 p. m.

Fresh Eggs at Smale's.

Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Walter, spent yesterday in Bangor.

Underwood typewriters, Phone 146.

Cut Flowers, sprays and designs for funerals our specialty. La Crosse Floral Co., Phone 40.

Lois Sherman is spending the week end in Bangor.

La-Fontaine Cigars: "They Satisfy."

Dr. Thornton, Osteopath, Linker Bldg. By appointment only.

Maria Rodimy, is spending her vacation at home in Bangor.

Chrysanthemums and Poinsettias, all colors, cut and in pots. La Crosse Floral Co., Phone 40-A.

Fred A. Smith, 1325 State street, is ill at the Lutheran hospital.

For Carpenter and repair work, Max W. Presschl, Phone 581-A.

Lois Cafe and Annex, Tel. your chop suey orders. Noonday lunch served 11 a. m. to 2 p. m.

George Skemp is visiting at the home of his parents during his short vacation from school at Milwaukee.

When in need of Plumbing, call W. P. Schram, Phone 46.

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NEW CORPORATION IN BANKING TRADE FORMED IN STATE

E. M. Wing of La Crosse One of Organizers of Wisconsin Finance Corporation

The organization of a \$300,000 corporation to aid in developing the state and to serve Wisconsin banks was announced by H. A. Moehlenpah, formerly member of the federal reserve board, and now head of twenty bankers who launched the new undertaking.

The company is to be known as the Wisconsin Finance corporation. Mr. Moehlenpah will be president. Twelve past presidents of the Wisconsin Bankers' association are members of the organization committee.

All varieties of high grade securities will be dealt in by the corporation for its stockholders and others and country banks will be assisted in handling excess commercial and agricultural needs as well as local bond issues.

The organizers of the corporation are:

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The company has established offices in Milwaukee.

STEEL INDEPENDENTS ANNOUNCE PRICE CUT

PITTSBURGH, Pa. — The Jones and Laughlin Steel company, the largest of the independent interests, adopted new selling rates on certain finished steel products, Friday.

This reduction, the first to be made by independents in the Pittsburgh district, will not affect wages. It was understood, of the approximately 25,000 persons in the company's employ.

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Vaughn, star pitcher for the Chicago National baseball club, has refused to prosecute his father-in-law, Harry De-

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Order especially engraved Christmas Greetings now, Inland Shop. "Sunrise Flour"—Ask your grocer. Earl Bergeron returned to his duties as operator for the Milwaukee railway after taking a short vacation. Select your Christmas "Victrola" now at Noelle's, 531 Main.

Mrs. John Ray and daughter Viola of Chicago are visiting at the home of Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Keaveny, 147 South Seventh street.

A real Christmas gift, the Hoover Suction Cleaner, Linker Electric Co., 114 No. 5th.

Richard Hiler returned from his trip to the Black Hills at Rapid City, S. D.

Just received, fresh car of plaster and car of cement. First come, first served. La Crosse Lumber and Supply Co.

J. T. Greenwood, yardmaster for the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway is off duty for a short vacation.

"Sunrise Flour" when ordering.

Social dance given at Cliffwood Inn, State Road Coulee, Saturday, November 27.

E. G. Ross, second shift operator for the Milwaukee at the north side station, has returned to work after a short vacation.

Christmas Greetings and Gifts at The Inland Shop.

Hilda Olson, 1336 Liberty street, will leave today for Minneapolis, where she will visit relatives and friends.

Electric Wiring, Fixtures and Appliances. Thill-Manning-Whalen Co., 512 State street. Phone 214.

Frank Bailey, former shoe man in the city, visited here for a few days from Minneapolis.

Owing to the demand for the delicious Thanksgiving day special three layer brick, we have decided to have it again as our Sunday special. Don't miss this real treat. At your dealer, Tri-State Ice Cream Corporation.

Conductor A. E. Cary of the La Crosse division of the Milwaukee road, has gone to Florida to spend the winter.

The genuine Edison Mazda lamps are sold by The Linker Electric Co., 114 No. 5th St.

Myrtle Moe, who is teaching in the Virginia public schools, is spending Thanksgiving vacation in the city.

La Fortuna, "The Wonder Smoke." May Taylor, 821 Avon street, is spending Thanksgiving in the city. She is teaching at Madison.

Cars Overhauled, first class work guaranteed. Solberg Tire Co., 539 Main.

Howard Morris, who is attending the Palmer school of Chiropractic at Lavenport, Iowa, is spending a short vacation at his home, 1309 Main street.

Paramount Kodak finishing at The Paramount Photo Shop, 225 Main.

Miss Bettie Nesberg, teacher in the Madison schools, is spending a few days in the city with her sister, Mrs. L. S. Fiedler.

Osteopathy.—Dr. J. J. Newburg Rg. C. C. Carney, 807 Caledonia street, came home from the north woods with a 200 pound deer.

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Bolt who stabbed him in a recent attack, according to Owen O'Hare, chief of police of this city.

Discriminating Invention
A large harvesting machine for clover seed that picks only the ripe

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It is what every motorist wants—a highly efficient motor fuel. It's use, assures easy starting, quick get-away, smooth acceleration, and tremendous power, the kind that "carries on".

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AUDIT OF NATIONAL EQUITY FUNDS ASKED BY WISCONSIN MAN

National Treasurer Examined in Madison Court as to Funds of Union

MADISON, Wis., Nov. 27.—Arthur Sampson, secretary-treasurer of the National Union of the American Society of Equity, went over the accounts of the society as they were when he assumed office, at the opening of a hearing Friday before Rufus R. Smith, circuit court commissioner. The action is brought by Anton M. Miller of Kaukauna, demanding an accounting for the funds expended by the union and recommending appointment of a receiver for the assets within the state of Wisconsin.

Minutes of a national board meeting submitted in evidence at the morning session indicated that J. H. Carnahan, president of the National Union, had resigned August 8, 1920. H. A. Hendrickson, a director, also resigned and A. Seymour of Michigan was elected to succeed him, the testimony revealed. Mr. Sampson continued on the stand in the afternoon. J. Walter Lewis, former secretary-treasurer of the National Union, will appear as a witness Saturday morning.

Of the five past and present officers of the National Union named in the action J. L. Tittemore of Omo, former president and James Clemmons of Kansasville, director, were represented by Byron Stobins, Milwaukee. Walter Foster of Neillsville and J. Walter Long of Madison appeared in person. Mr. Carnahan did not attend the hearing. Miles C. Riley appeared as attorney for the National Union.

OHIO MAN PREDICTS "SERIOUS DROP" IN MILK AND BUTTER

OMAHA, Neb.—Prediction of "a serious drop" in milk and butter prices was made in an address here Saturday by George M. Wilber of Marysville, Ohio, head of the executive committee of the Ohio Wool Growers' association.

Contributing reasons for the predicted decline, he said, were that Danish butter will soon be coming into this country at the rate of 500,000 pounds a month and that over \$50,000,000 of American evaporated milk is piled up in New York, unsalable because of lack of export demand. Condensing factories are closing all over the country, he added.

BADGER BOYS IN SESSION SATURDAY AT STATE CAPITAL

MADISON, Wis.—Hundreds of boys were in Madison Saturday attending the older boys' conference which is holding its session in the assembly chamber. The meeting Saturday morning was addressed by Frederick H. Wolfe, general secretary of the W. M. C. A. He spoke on "Life at Its Best."

Other speakers were Lowell Pruit, school of Madison; Errol Amundson, New Auburn; Donald Bickers, Wauwatosa; John McArthur, Elkhorn; and Ray V. Sewers, Milwaukee. The conference will be closed Saturday evening.

STREET CAR AND TRUCK COLLIDE AT THIRD AND VINE

A Myrick Park line street car and a large Nash Quad truck of the Gallesville Canning company collided at the corner of Third and Vine streets Friday afternoon about 2:50 o'clock, resulting in considerable damage to the street car when the front door was torn off and several window lights broken. The truck escaped with little or no damage.

EXPORTS INCREASING—Exports during October increased by nearly 150,000,000, while imports decreased approximately 1,000,000, foreign trade figures made public Friday by the department of commerce show. Exports were valued at \$732,000,000 against \$803,000,000 in September, while imports were valued at \$362,000,000.

Good Food From Lignite—The chairman of the Canadian Lignite Utilization Board has announced that the experiments of the board have resulted very satisfactorily and it is hoped soon to make a briquet from this material which will be equal to the best grade of anthracite of the United States and much more satisfactory for domestic use. It is expected that this will be done at a cost of about \$7.50 per ton on board the cars. This work was conducted jointly by the Canadian Government of two provincial governments at a cost of \$400,000.

Taking After Mother—Bert just came home from college and he had a "shadow" on his upper lip. He stopped to say "Hello" to his grandfather. His grandfather looked him over and said: "Why, son, you look more like your mother every day." "What makes you think so?" asked Bert. "Why, because your father had a mustache that came down to his chin. Just look at that one of yours; you must take after your mother."—Indianapolis News.

A New Invention—The life of a typewriter ribbon is increased by the use of a new device which supplies it with a fresh quantity of ink every time it moves back and forth. It has heretofore been rejected because it was generally dried out before it was worn out.

LORD CECIL PLAYS PART OF AMERICA AT LEAGUE MEETING



Lord Robert Cecil, and (at right) General Smuts

Perhaps the most significant thing in the League of Nations' meeting at Geneva is the presence of Lord Robert Cecil.

It has such a bearing on the bugaboo of "eight votes for Great Britain."

Lord Robert was for the League of Nations at Paris. Lloyd George was not over-enthusiastic.

Lord Robert was for a league which would be anti-imperialistic, and devoted to the peace and security of the smaller nations.

Lloyd George was the premier of the British Empire, whose heart and soul is imperialism.

Lord George opposed sending Lord Robert to Geneva to represent the British Empire in the Council of the League of Nations.

Whereupon South Africa named him as the representative of that sturdy colony.

Thereupon Lord Robert went to Geneva and he bids fair to be the commanding figure of the session.

About him will gather the anti-imperialists and the anti-militarists. If there comes a showdown Lord Robert Cecil, representing South Africa, will command the force in the council which will oppose Great Britain and her aims and the aims of the other great powers.

Out of England, by grace of South Africa, has come the man to play the part that the United States would have played at Geneva—the part that President Wilson played against all the big powers, at Paris.

Lord Robert Cecil's colleague is General Smuts, who secured his appointment to Geneva. Smuts and Lord Robert were about the only ones who stood by Wilson through thick and thin at Paris.

They are a great team and democracy should thank God that they are on the job.

EIGHTY GOOD SEATS LEFT FOR SECOND OF CLUB RECITALS

At the time the box office opened Saturday morning for the sale of seats for the concert Monday given by Cecil Burrell and Edna Gunnar Peterson Thompson as the second of the Music Study Club Artist Series.

However, these seats included the best in the house. This is due to the fact that they were not sold for the course but were sold to people from out of town for the first program only. This gives people who are particularly anxious to hear this recital an opportunity to enjoy excellent seats.

BRINES HELD FOR DEATH OF DARTMOUTH STUDENT

PHILADELPHIA, Pa.—William P. Brines, charged with the killing of Elmer C. Drewes here on October 17, was Friday held without bail for action by the grand jury.

A coroner's jury returned a verdict that Drewes came to his death "from a gunshot wound of the brain inflicted by one William P. Brines."

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WASHINGTON.—Illinois railroads were ordered by the interstate commerce commission Saturday to increase passenger fares on traffic within the state to the same level as interstate rates.

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TURKEY IS WARNED AGAINST FURTHER ARMENIAN ADVANCE

Moscow Government Sends Note of Warning to Leader of Turk Nationalists

CONSTANTINOPLE.—By The Associated Press.—The Moscow government has notified Mustafa Kemal Pasha, leader of the Turkish nationalists, that it would regard a further Turkish advance into Armenia as a cause for war. The message, it says, was as a consequence of the change in the government of Armenia. George Tchitcherlin, the soviet foreign minister, demanded withdrawal of the Turks to the west bank of the Arpa-Chai river and informed the nationalist government at Angora officially that the treaty of Brest-Litovsk was considered invalid.

It is reported that Legrand, soviet representative in Erivan, the Armenian capital, assured the new government the soviet would not tolerate aggressions by Azerbaijan against the new soviet republic and promised to furnish it with 500,000 pounds of fuel.

The new Armenian government has released the political prisoners.

BANK OF COBLENZ GETS LOAN FROM AMERICAN FIRM

BERLIN, Nov. 26.—It is reported the Coblenzer bank has increased its capital from eight million to fifty million marks by a loan from an American banking association and has asked for permission from the finance minister to remove its headquarters from Coblenz to Cologne. This rumor prompts the Vorwarts to criticize the transaction as a "step on the part of foreign interests to gain economic control of the occupied zone."

The newspaper expresses belief that the Coblenzer bank will be used as a gateway for other similar loans to banks and industries, and the buying up of German interests with allied capital. This is the first instance of a German bank accepting outside aid, and in the past foreign capital has not been permitted to operate banks in Germany.

PRIZE BULL DEAD DARNING NEEDLE FOUND IN HEART

DUBUQUE, Iowa.—Sir Pontiac of Cedarside, famed prize Holstein herd bull on the H. H. Case, farm, died Saturday from a darning needle wound. Veterinarians were puzzled as to what caused the animal's death until, upon dissection, a darning needle was found imbedded in the heart.

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THE LAST WEEK

By Edith May

This is my last week at the theater. I am not sorry, although I am glad of the experience it has been.

I came straight from a country town to the most sophisticated spot on earth. The corner of Broadway and Forty-second street, New York—and from high school work and waiting on a shop, my occupation changed to the exhibition of myself behind the footlights.

Well—it has not hurt me. It has not helped me greatly either, except that everything we can learn about the world we live in helps us. Sometimes it helps us to know what we do not want to do.

I realize that thousands of girls would give their very souls for the opportunity I've had. I suppose almost every girl in the world has longed to go on the stage. I do not wish to discourage such girls. That is not altogether. But stage work, like any other, is suited to some temperaments and not to others.

Back-Stage Views—It is not so much the work on the stage that affected me one way or the other. It is the atmosphere back-stage—the ways and the habits of thought and the unwholesome ambitions that the nice girl shrinks to fall into.

I think if I was in the chorus 20 years I would never get used to the viewpoint of most of the girls I see there.

I won't say all of course. But I am convinced not many girls are hanging out their pure ideals of life if they stay in the environment of "the show shop."

The greatest thrill I have had out of it is the experience of sending home some money to mother. I shall never forget the joy I had, standing in the postoffice buying that money-order. No banker turning a deal in high finance ever got a deeper thrill than I did out of that, or a greater sense of triumph.

I was not sorry I hadn't bought clothes with the money, as one of the girls urged me.

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